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TORONTO—Strong winds and moderate rains North-early, clearing and cool Sunday: Decreasing North-early winds, fair and cool.

Was Railway Ever An Asset

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Grenfell to Write Two Books on Labrador and Its People

Lloyd George Is Criticised By Press Because of Speech Politics Caused the Failure of the Conference

LONDON, May 26.—The editorial vitally decline into a political gath-
verdict in London this morning on ehing, and America has been justified
Premier Lloyd George's Genoa speech Wide awake Poincare also justly sus-
is directly opposed to that of the pected the economic character of the
House of Commons, which gave him Genoa meeting would give way to
what is considered equivalent to a political coloring and decided to ab-
vote of confidence. Five of the lead- stain. The men who stayed at home
ing newspapers write "failure" across were wise." The Daily News, while
the face of the Conference, and have more indulgent than some of the
nothing but censure for the Premier's newspapers to the Premier's motives
ference of his foreign policy. Two concludes, "nothing is to be gained
others bestow praise on the Confer- by trumpeting a considerable disap-
ence and Mr. Lloyd George's report. pointment as a magnificent triumph."
The Times says the debate added no- The Daily Chronicle, admitting Genoa
thing to what had long been known, did not accomplish all that could
It shows the Conference failed and wish, contends the Conference had
shows reasons for the failure. The great value "The great service ren-
Morning Post strikes the same note dored by the Conference, was its
of failure and says, "Americans who clarifying of policy and issue," says
were invited to Genoa refused in- that newspaper. "It has carried the

LATEST Former Finance Minister Gets After Fielding Criticises Canadian Budget

Collier Held Up

BELFAST, May 26.—A 300-ton col-
lier owned by Belfast firemen was
boarded at Dundalk last night by a
dozen armed men who held up the
captain and crew while they smashed
the compass and telegraph and threw
parts of the machinery overboard.
The residence near here of Captain
Harry Mulholland, son of Lord Dun-
leith, who represents County Down in
the Ulster Parliament, was attacked
to-day by raiders who engaged the
guard, considerable firing following.
Eventually the police drove off the
assailants.

I. R. A. Proclamation

RECOMMON, May 26.—The Head-
quarters of the Irish Republican
Army here has issued a proclamation
against cattle driving or taking land
by force. Persons found guilty will
be dealt with as common criminals.

Eight Are Killed

SINNA MOHONING, Pa., May 26.—
Eight men were killed and three
others slightly hurt in a series of ex-
plosions which today blew into pieces
lodging houses and another building
of the Graseill Chemical Pitna here.
The cause of the explosion is un-
known.

peace movement visibly forward as
no amount of Viscount Grey's secret
diplomacy, under the circumstances
could have done." Says the Daily Tele-
graph, "The good work projected at
Genoa is not completed, but the founda-
tions are laid and with good will and
good intent on all sides the great edi-
fice of European concord and confi-
dence may slowly begin to arise. It
will need something more than As-
quith's thin gibes and Sir Robert
Cecil's captious criticisms to undo the
effect of the Premier's exposition.

Copy of the Free State Constitution

DUBLIN, May 26.—Michael Collins
left tonight for London where Arthur
Griffith today laid a copy of the Free
State Constitution before representa-
tives of the British Cabinet. This
constitution, it is said, was defeated to
comply with the terms of the Anglo
Irish Treaty. If the British Ministers
are satisfied with it and learn that
it will be submitted to the Irish peo-
ple, it is considered unlikely they will
enter a quarrel with the Free Staters
because they made the pact with De
Valera. The view here among Sinn
Feiners of both wings is that the re-
cent pact between Collins and De
Valera is primarily a domestic mat-
ter designed to keep solid as long as
possible the comrades of the Sinn
Fein, lest control pass to other sec-
tions of Irish opinion identified in
the past with a moderate policy.

REV. FATHER McSHANE



Pastor of St. Patrick's Church
Montreal.

OTTAWA, May 26.—Opening the
Budget debate to-day Sir Henry Dray-
ton, former Finance Minister, said he
was filled with amazement at the
gloomy outlook of the Minister of
Finance, who had forecast decreases
in the Customs revenue and income
tax for the current fiscal year. The
present Budget, he said, might well
be referred to as one which gave a
"2½ per cent British preference and
German free trade." Sir Henry said
the Budget could be searched in vain
for measures which would relieve
unemployment. On the contrary the
cancellation of depreciated currency
and the regulations regarding imports
from Germany and other countries
would further expose the Canadians
to unemployment.

D. I. & S. Company Get Claims Settled

OTTAWA, May 26.—The claims of
the Dominion Iron and Steel Company
against the Canadian Government
arising out of war contracts, have
been settled for \$1,500,000. This is
in addition to the payment of \$3,000-
000 made last fall by the Government.

WAINRIGHT, Alberta.—It is re-
ported that a flow of gas has been
encountered at the Imperial Oil
Company's well which is being drilled
at Faylan, between Wainright and
Irma. Drilling will be continued.

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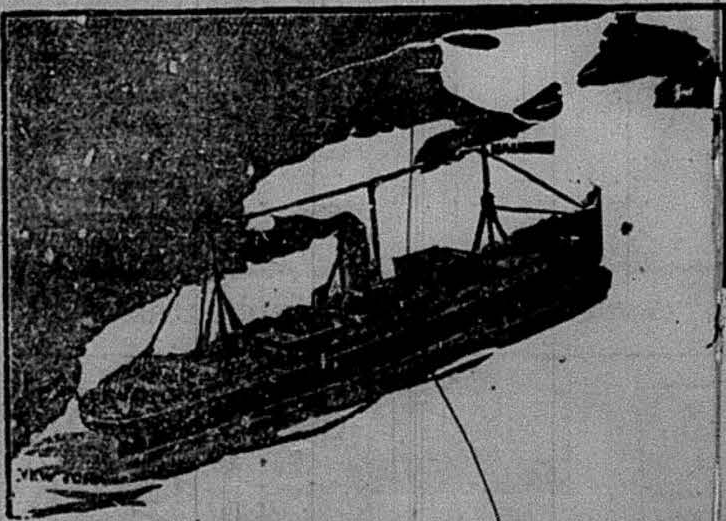
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The Lure of Gold Or The Heart Of A Woman

CHAPTER XXXI.

"Oh, Reu, lad," said Wynter, "don't reproach me; the plot was a deep one."

"Yes, yes; forgive me, Gran," said the young man remorsefully. "These brutes have stirred up every bitter feeling in me. You leave this to me, Gran, and I'll attend to my affairs afterward. This is the last plot Mr. Morgan will ever make."

The two had by this time reached the village in where they put up for the night. Nothing could be gained by troubling the Seymours until the last minute, and Reuben and Wynter, both thoroughly tired out with the excitement of their meeting and their long day's journey, were soon overcome by sleep.

CHAPTER XXXII.

The Abduction.

On the following morning, the day on which Olive was to be torn ruthlessly from her home, Reuben was up with the dawn, and drive over to Sedley. From there he went back to Bingleigh Hall, but what plans he had made he refused to disclose till later in the day, saying that he wanted to see what would happen first.

Wynter was inclined to be hurt at his reticence; but, knowing his own secret, he soon got over his ill humor and waited patiently for the night to come.

Meanwhile, Olive was happily enough employed at Bingleigh Hall. She had resolutely put aside all thoughts of the dark future which still lay before her, however much she might endeavor to delay its advent.

Neither Sir Edwin nor Olive had come into contact with the Cravens, for when the Seymours had returned to Bingleigh, Viscount Craven, with his wife and mother, had already gone to town. So few were the servants at the Hall, that the gossip of his marriage and return had not yet filtered through.

Sir Edwin had received an urgent message to come to the Grange, and, feeling much better, had accepted the invitation to dinner which accompanied it. Olive's name was not mentioned; and being only too glad to escape the company of Morgan, who, she knew from the faithful Topsy, had arrived at the Grange on the preceding day, she had persuaded Sir Edwin to go alone. When the time came for him to leave the old man was seized with a strange reluctance.

"A foolish fancy, my dear," he said, as he kissed her, "but I wish you were coming, too. Are you sure you won't change your mind?"

"Quite, dear," returned Olive. "Why, father," she went on playfully, "I should think you've been tied to my apron strings quite long enough. You ought to be glad to get out alone for a change. Mind you have a good time."

She went with him to the head of the steps; and the last thing he saw, as he looked back, was her graceful figure against the light.

As Olive turned to reenter the drawing room, she saw Topsy cross the hall, with a duster in her hand. It seemed a peculiar time to begin dusting operations, and Olive stopped a moment.

She asked kindly, "Surely it's late for dusting!"

"Yes, Miss Olive," said Topsy cheerfully; "but it's the old dark oak. I set my heart on giving it a rub up, and I haven't had a minute to spare till now—so if you don't mind—"

"Why, of course not," said her mistress; and passed on her way.

It was wonderful what trouble Topsy took with that hall furniture; it seemed as if her very life depended on getting the polish on the chairs, and tables. Presently there came a sharp knock at the door, and Topsy, with an amiability quite unusual to her, ran to the head of the stairs and called down to the footman.

"I'll go, James, if you like," then, without waiting, she ran to the door and opened it.

A man, seemingly in livery, stood outside.

"Is Miss Seymour still up?" he asked.

"Yes," said Topsy; "do you want her?"

"Will you be good enough to give her a message from the Grange? Sir Edwin is taken ill. I was told to say that it was not serious, but Mr. Verner thought that Miss Seymour might like to come to him. Sir Edwin said particularly that he didn't want a fuss made."

Topsy looked aghast at the news. "Oh, dear!" she cried. "My poor master. Are you one of the servants at the Grange?"

"Yes," said the man; "I've only come yesterday. I've got a carriage waiting, so will you tell her to be as quick as she can."

"Yes, yes, of course," said Topsy. "I'll go and break the news to her at once. Oh, poor Miss Olive; if only she had gone with him! Will you come in and wait, while I tell her?"

"No," said the man, "I'll go back to the carriage. The horses are a bit fresh."

"Very well," said Topsy, in suppressed excitement, "and Miss Olive shall come to you as soon as I can get her ready. Poor Sir Edwin—it is bad news!"

Then the warm-hearted girl saw him out, and closed the door carefully.

As the man said, the horses were fresh; but they were not kept waiting long, for in a few minutes a dark figure flitted down the steps, and, as the man opened the carriage door for her, he heard a muffled sob.

Away went the horses at a sharp trot, and, on reaching the end of the park road, dashed across the heath. At the crossroads, however, the carriage stopped for a moment, and two men, who had been standing there, advanced. One leaped on the box, beside the coachman, while the other opened the door and jumped in crying:

"Drive like the wind!"

It was Morgan Verner's voice, and the figure in the corner started with a cry:

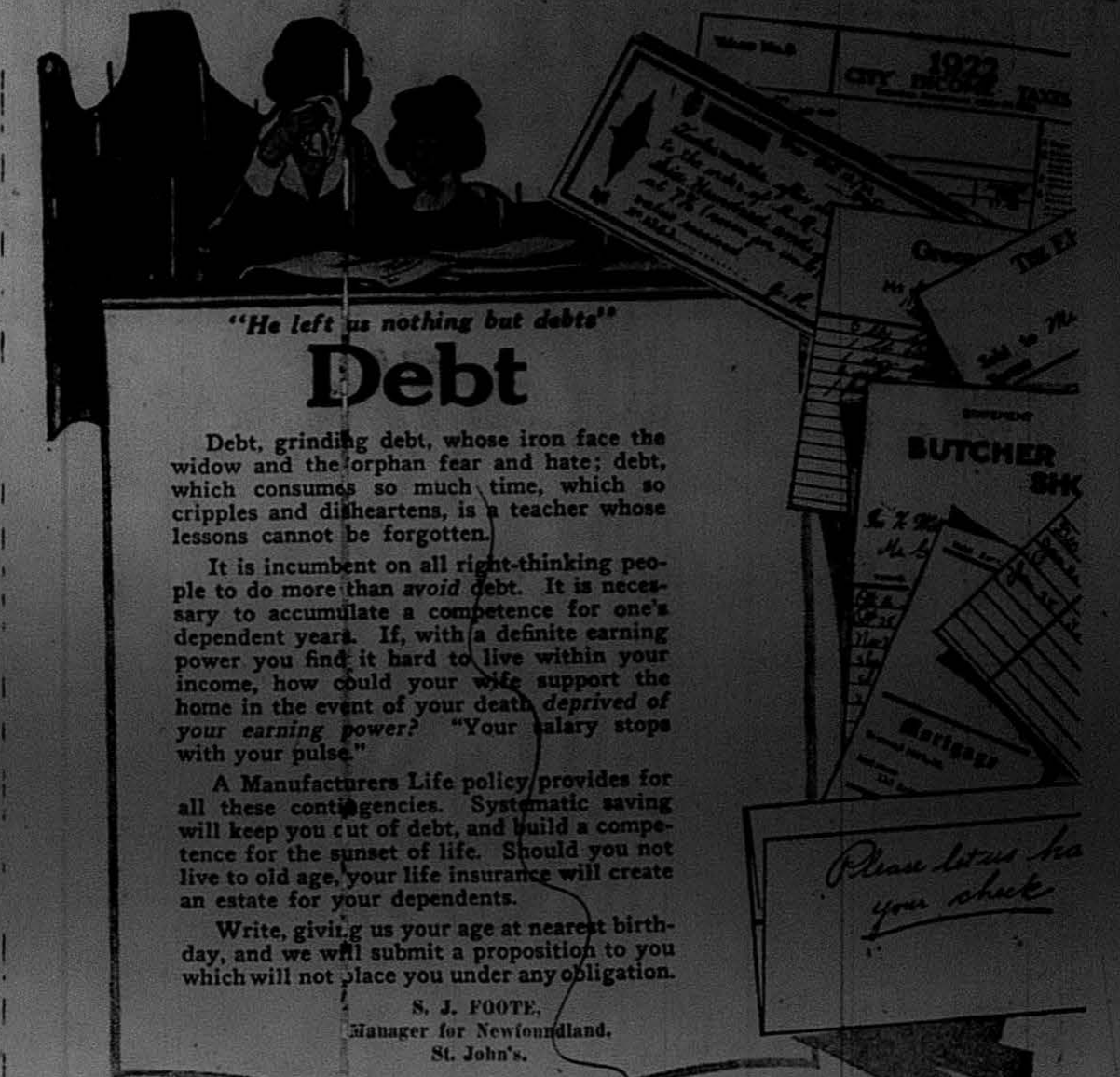
"You—Morgan!"

"Yes, it is I," said Morgan with a blustering air. "Don't cry out Olive. It's no use—and if you do, you are in my power."

The girl gave a low moan, and shuddered, and then faltered in a trembling voice:

"What does it mean—I don't understand—"

Morgan laughed insolently, delight-



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ed at the success of old Griley's In an instant her face flushed and scheme—he had not thought to get her hand closed over a small scrap of faded ribbon, which was all it contained.

"I'm too clever to be taken in by your little tricks," he answered. "You meant to throw me over at the end—but I'm not to be done so easily. I mean to have you, and I'll marry you—if not—"

A cry of indignation escaped his victim, and she shrank back into the corner, sobbing piteously.

"Come, don't be afraid, Olive," said Morgan, more gently—like most cowards, reassured by signs of yielding. "I don't mean any harm, I swear. I've made all the arrangements. I've got a parson waiting for us, and everything will be done squarely and aboveboard, if you only behave like a sensible girl."

Morgan put out his hand to the shrinking girl; but she rose with a cry, and clung to the window strap.

"Oh, all right!" said Morgan hastily. "I won't come near you till you've seen the parson, if you don't want me."

The girl relapsed into her seat, and began to cry again.

"Oh, don't be so cut up! I won't even speak to you," said Morgan; and, with an attempt at surly dignity, he threw himself back in the opposite corner and closed his eyes; while the horses, fresh and strong, tore along the road, leaving Bingleigh Hall and the Grange far behind.

Half an hour had barely elapsed since the departure of Morgan Verner and his victim, when an in another carriage drove up to Bingleigh Hall. He descended quickly and asked the footman, who had once more returned to his duties at the door, to take a note to Miss Seymour. The visitor was heavily muffled, with his hat drawn down over his eyes, and James was naturally suspicious; nevertheless, he took the note into the drawing-room.

"The man is waiting outside, Miss Olive. He asked to see you."

"Surely he wants to see Sir Edwin—there must be some mistake," said Olive, as she opened the envelope.

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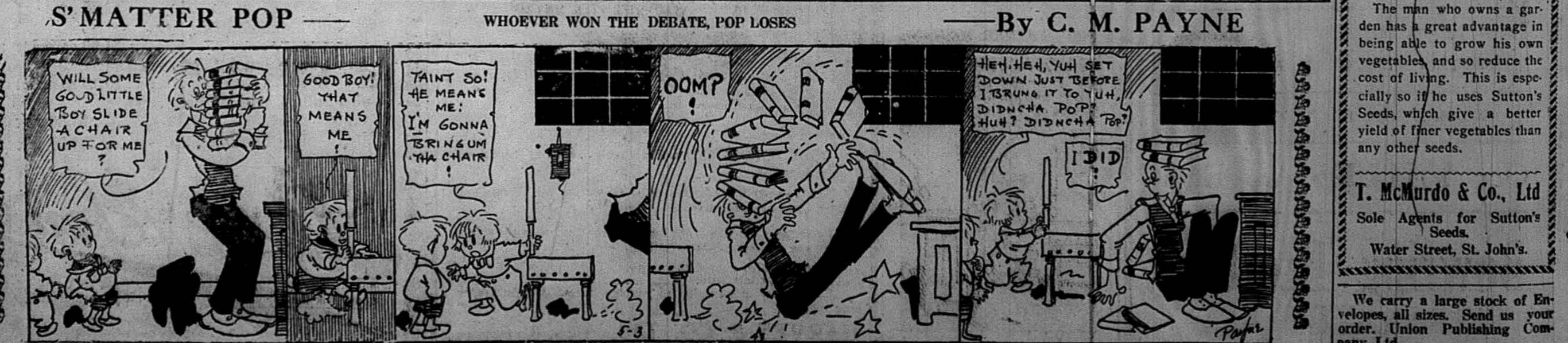
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LATEST

BOSTON, May 27.—The steamer "Abron," from Alexandria, entered Boston harbor yesterday without a pilot by means of radio bearings and soundings only.

BELFAST, May 27.—Seventeen fires were started in campaign of incendiaryism waged throughout the city last night. There were no burials in the city cemetery Thursday owing to sniping at grave diggers. Restaurants and theatres are suffering

LONDON, May 27.—Continued outbreaks of disorder in Ireland are reported in despatches to morning papers. It is said members of the Irish Republican Army surrounded Sallinlee, County Langford, and arrested all Protestants in the town, charging them with conspiracy with Orangemen in the North. The Times correspondent at Strasane says armed men are arresting Ulstermen in County Donegal in reprisal for arrests of Sinn Feiners throughout Ulster.

BOSTON, May 27.—Miss Mary Bayditch of Newton, second year student at Boston University, will spend the summer in Labrador as Secretary to Dr. Wilfred Grenfell, who will prepare two books on Labrador and its people.

BELFAST, May 27.—The Ulster Association has sent a message to Churchill, Colonial Secretary, remarking that the Catholic Protection Committee, in a recent message to the Secretary did not refer to the number of Protestants murdered between May 22 and 26. Ten Protestants were killed and several others threatened with death, the message says, the premises of eighteen Protestant farmers were set on fire. The Catholic Committee's telegram said that from May 12 to May 22, 27 Catholics have been murdered of whom five were women and two children; forty-five Catholics were wounded and hundreds evicted, the message added.

LONDON, May 27.—The Cunard liner Aquitania sent a message from mid-ocean that she had made a new record for her self of 568 miles for a day's run. The "Berengaria" former Imperator, also reported she had made a new day's record of 573 miles.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The efforts to settle the anthracite strike have failed for the time being, though negotiations may be resumed on June 2nd.

FOURTH ESTATE

"Edmond Burke said that there were Three Estates in Parliament, but in the Reporters' Gallery yonder there sat a 'Fourth Estate' more important than they all."

—CARLYLE.

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U.S. Government Will Have To Control Mines

WASHINGTON, May 22.—(By Canadian Press)—Unless the coal strike is settled before many weeks, the demand in Congress for legislation for government control of the coal industry promises to become so strong that it is likely in the end to lead to the passage of a regulatory law.

An increasing number of members of both houses of Congress is urging regulatory legislation. For the past several years, the demand for Government control of the coal industry has felt in Congress and numerous bills have been introduced. The coal interests have openly fought these bills and have succeeded, so far, in defeating them. Some of those bills have been offered, not by radical members, but by conservatives. Senator Calder of New York, for instance, was active in the last Congress for coal legislation.

The situation is such that if there is a settlement of the coal strike and resumption of work within the next few weeks, there will be no regulatory legislation in this session of Congress. However, if there is no settlement and the shortage of coal becomes distressing the demand for legislation will become irresistible. Some of the most prominent leaders in Congress are watching developments closely and are prepared to press regulatory legislation when the time seems opportune. They are becoming convinced that without legislation the coal industry will continue unstable and unsettled with constantly recurring strikes and labor troubles.

While there is talk of a settlement of the present strike under a plan which the administration is considering the belief here is that this settlement is likely to be one of a temporary nature.

OBITUARY

There passed peacefully away from our midst one most highly beloved and respected by all who knew him, Obadiah Spurrell of Valleyfield, aged 58 years, born on Pool's Island, and the youngest son of William and Mary Spurrell and the tenth child of the family, which numbered twelve. The rest are alive and in fairly good health today. I may say the family was a very remarkable one, the parents of the deceased lived up in the four score years and saw all their twelve children married and a so some of their grandchildren.

Deceased was a member of the S.U.F. for quite a number of years to which he paid due respect. All thru his years of membership when it was possible to attend meetings Brother Spurrell would be there. Before his death the soul poured forth to God praise and thanksgiving for his wonderful forgiveness.

On April 28th, the hand of Death summoned him from this earth to "paradise the best, to wait the final Resurrection and hear the blessing pronounced to all that love and fear God. The funeral took place at Pool's Island, St. James Church, April 30th attended by the S.U.F., and a large congregation.

The burial service was conducted by the Lay Reader of Pool's Island, Mr. Jacob Morgan, according to the rite of the C. of E.

The deceased leaves to mourn his loss, wife and four sons, one daughter and a number of grandchildren, five brothers, six sisters and a host of relations. To the bereaved family the community extend their greatest sympathy.

They whose course on earth is o'er, Think they of their brethren more? They before the Throne who bow, Feel they for their presence no?

Thanking you in anticipation, one of the many friends.

—J. J. S.

Badger's Quay, May 6th, 1922.

Cape Breton Lobster Fishery Failure So Far

With the exception of a few hundred taken in inland waters the Cape Breton lobster catch so far this season has amounted to nothing. The season has now been open for over two weeks, but the drift ice which is still hugging the coast prevents the setting of traps in the outer waters. The lobster factories along the coast are still idle although some of them have been ready for weeks to begin packing. Reports received by the fisheries inspector from Port Hood state that lobsters there are fairly plentiful, but that herring which is used as bait is very scarce.

At Baddeck only a few lobsters have been caught. The lobster factory there is closed and few traps have been set. At Isle Madame traps have been set out but only a small catch has so far been made.

The Sydney fish markets have been selling lobsters for over a week past at prices ranging between 20 and 25 cents a pound. A few of the lobsters are being obtained from Point Edward and the remainder are being imported from points in Cape Breton and on the mainland.



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Los Angeles Times: In connection with the printing of the new 100,000,000 ruble notes by the Russian Soviet the statement is made that in the last five years Russia has issued paper money to the extent of eighteen trillions of rubles. If this were good money it would represent more than all the coinage of all the world since the creation. As it is it has only the price, however, will remain the same.

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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, SATURDAY, MAY 27th., 1922.

Our Contemporaries and Hon. W. R. Warren

The "Daily News" this morning uses part of an Advocate report of the House of Assembly proceedings of April 18th in attempting to justify its own version of the answer given by the Minister of Justice re the Reid Co.'s liability to the Nfld. Government under the 1901 Contract. Our own report was perhaps not specifically clear in certain particulars; but we direct the attention of the News to the verbatim copy of Mr. Warren's answer to Mr. MacDonnell's question which appeared in the same issue of the Advocate virtually side by side with the General Report. Consequently there can be justification for the News, when it tries to defend its garbled and inaccurate statements under cover of an omission of a full recital of the context of the conversation between the Minister of Justice and Mr. Higgins. Previous speakers had hinted at some verbal agreement with the Reid Co. as to the

mode and object of the payments made to the Reid Nf. Co. under the Temporary Operating Contract of 1921-22. Both the Prime Minister and the Minister of Justice had replied that no such verbal agreement was known by them to be in existence. Mr. Higgins said he hoped not; and putting the hypothetical position if any such verbal agreement or arrangement might exist, it would be advisable for the Attorney General, when obtaining outside legal opinion, to get specific advice on the point.

We join with Mr. Warren in thus defending himself against misrepresentation by both the News and the Evening Telegram. In case of the latter sheet we regard the apology which that paper was obliged to make on Thursday to Mr. Warren, because of its gross libel against his professional standing as most insulting in form.

Railway Was Never Considered An Asset!

Only Reason for Granting Reid's Enormous Grants of Land Was the Certainty that the Railway Would have a Deficit of at least \$200,000 Per Annum

The Editor The Evening Advocate, City.

Dear Sir,—In my first letter I showed that as the Reid Nf. Co. had ceased to operate the Railway, had ceased to fulfil their Contract with the Colony, the Railway, as defined specifically in the 1898 Contract, became forfeited to the Government, and that the claim of the Reid Nf. Co. for payment of alleged assets was one, when reduced to correct values, which could only be set against the just claim of the Colony for damages estimated at thirty million dollars.

In my second letter I pointed out several fallacies apparent in making up this list of alleged assets, and the absurdity of supposing that with threatened claims of from 10 to 20 millions, the Reid Nf. Co. would be willing to accept two millions or so especially when that amount, according to rumour, is only sufficient to pay off certain financial obligations due their Bankers.

I suggested that the Reid Nf. Co. had not a very sound case, and that no one realized this more than themselves.

That some people imagine the Reid Nf. Co. must be feared, and that their threat of litigation should be listened to, is due to

an atmosphere with which the Reid Nf. Co. have ever surrounded themselves, an atmosphere which has imposed itself upon all classes, and against which it has been difficult to fight.

Let us tear away this camouflage and see things in the clear light of straightforward reason.

And I want in this letter to bring an aspect of this Railway Problem before the public that has been so diligently hidden and covered up during the past 20 years that only a few have remembered it.

I want to take you back to 1893, 1898, and 1901 when these contracts began. I want those of your readers who remember these days to come back with me, once more visualizing these days of political battle.

And the point I want to make is that in the days when these Contracts were made, NO ONE, ON EITHER SIDE OF POLITICS, SUGGESTED THAT THE RAILWAY DID EVER PAY FOR ITS OPERATION, NOR DID ANYONE DREAM THAT IT WOULD EVER PAY IN THIS COUNTRY AS A SEPARATE UTILITY.

As a matter of fact Sir R. G. Reid himself knew that in taking over the operation of the Railway in 1898, he was taking over some-

thing upon which he had to face a loss of about Two hundred thousand dollars per annum!

Those who have entered public life since these periods may ask me here: Why should Mr. Reid do such a nonsensical thing as take over a Railway with such a liability?

But Mr. R. G. Reid was no fool; he was a thorough-going business man of large ideas, with faith in his judgment and in his work, and he undoubtedly did work hard all his life.

And here we find the reason, not only for Mr. Reid's acceptance of a dead-loss railway, but for the huge grants of land with all its contents which were made to him by the Colony.

AND IT WAS ONLY THE DEVELOPMENT OF THESE RESOURCES, THE CONSEQUENT INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND THE FINANCIAL RETURNS TO MR. REID THAT WOULD REPAY HIM FOR OPERATING A RAILWAY THAT OF ITSELF WAS NOT A PAYING VENTURE.

In the light of these facts then, how pitiable, how unjust to Newfoundland, is the idea that seems to permeate so many minds today, that the Railway should stand on its own bottom, be judged by its own results, while all the assets worth while have been alienated and are in the hands of the same men who now not only throw the Railway over on the Colony, but further seek to impose the position on the Government that the matter is one for arbitration instead of being one in which the Reid Nf. Co. have defaulted utterly and absolutely.

Sir R. G. Reid knew, the Reid Nf. Co. know, that at no time was it suggested that the Railway should pay a dividend. Deficits have occurred from the start, but the Reid Nf. Co. did not worry until recently.

It is a tragedy to imagine that having separated the Railway from the only assets worth anything, the Reid Nf. Co. should be permitted to inculcate us with the idea that it is for the Colony to take over their liabilities while they retain their assets.

I was sorry to see that even Mr. Morgan was misled in this. I want

ON TO THE HAGUE



Newfoundland

By A. R. DALLEY.

When Autumn, her fair, yellow tresses fling o'er thee,
Making bright with gay colours,
thy sombre grey earth;
When bleak Northern winds with their breath, do deflower thee—
Even then, do we love thee, oh land of our birth!

When Winter's soft snows fall in gentle caresses,
And zephyrs of tempest, sweep over thy form,
Filling with snowy treasure, thy nooks and recesses;
Thou land of white splendour, the silence, and storm.

When Spring's balmy breath is over thee stealing,
And clothing with verdure thy mountain and dale,
And sweet bursts of music from thy forests are stealing—
While her green robes o'er mantle thy valleys and vales.

At eve when the hot summer day is over,
The cooling sea breezes come wafted afar;
Bearing the perfume of violets and clover,
While twilight falls softly with many a star.

Thy beauties are many, thou gem of the ocean,
Thou'rt fair O, Newfoundland! by land or by sea;
We rever thee always with untold devotion;
Thou land of the mountain, the river, the lea.

And still midst the glories of all thy great splendour,
We view thy Creator, who dwells to suggest to him that he has not taken into his reckoning the facts stated above, and that it is for the Reid Nf. Co. to bear the burden brought about by their own acts and not Newfoundland.

I would strengthen the hands of the Government to refuse compromise.

Yours truly,
"ANOTHER STUDENT."

King Writes Letter On War Graves Visit

LONDON, May 18.—His Majesty King George has written a letter with regard to his recent visit to the War Graves in which he says: "His Majesty trusts that the High Commissioners and other representatives of the dominions will convey to their people the great satisfaction he expressed to them personally at the care bestowed on the graves of those who lie so far from their homes. In all the cemeteries visited by His Majesty, the Dominion and British graves lie side by side. The King assures the people overseas that these graves will be reverently and lovingly guarded. It is a satisfaction to His Majesty that the Imperial War Graves Commission is so constituted that these graves may be honored for all time."

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in the skies;
We thank Thee, thy Maker, thy Author and Sender,
For placing us nearer to His Paradise.
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The King's Pilgrimage

By Rudyard Kipling

(The following new poem has been cabled by Rudyard Kipling, who with King George and Queen Mary of England, King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of the Belgians, and an official entourage, has been visiting the graves of war heroes on the Western Front. The date of the poem is May 10, on which day the British King laid a wreath on the spot where Edith Cavell was executed.)

Our King went forth on pilgrimage
His prayers and vows to pay
To them that saved our heritage
And cast their own away
And there was little show of pride,
Or prowess of belted steel,
For the clean-swept oceans every side
Lay free to every keel.

And the first land he found, it was shoal and banky ground
Where the broader seas begin,
And a pale tide grieving at the broken harbor-mouth
Where they worked the death ships in.

And there was neither gull on the wing,
Nor wave that could not tell
Of the bodies that were buckled in the life buoy's ring
That slid from swell to swell.

All that they had they gave—they gave; and they shall not return.
For these are those that have no grave where any heart may mourn.

And the next land he found, it was low and hollow ground
Where once the cities stood,
But the man-high thistle had been master of it all,
Or the bulrush by the flood.

And there was neither blade of grass,
Nor lone star in the sky
But shook to see some spirit pass
And took its agony.

And the next land he found, it was bare and hilly ground
Where the bread-corn grew,
But the fields were cankered and the water was defiled,
And the trees were riven through.

And there was neither paved highway,
Nor secret path in the wood,
But had borne its weight of the broken clay
And darkened 'neath the blood.

Father and Mother they put aside, and the nearer love also—
A hundred thousand men who died, whose graves, shall no man know.

And the last land he found, it was fair and level ground,
About a carven stone,
And stark sword brooding on the bosom of the cross
Where high and low are one.

And there was grass and the living trees,
And the flowers of the spring,
And there lay gentlemen from out of all the seas
That ever called him King.

Twixt Nieuport sands and the eastward lands where the four red rivers spring,
Five hundred thousand gentlemen of those that served the King.

All that they had they gave—they gave—
In sure and single faith,
There can no knowledge reach the grave
To make them grudge their death,
Save only if they understood
That after all was done,
We they redeemed denied their blood
And mocked the gains it won.

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Ex-Soldier Dies From War Wound

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The young soldier had been wounded in the head and altho having temporarily recovered, he was never fully cured and at the time mentioned he passed to his eternal reward.

In spite of the years that have elapsed since the world struggle took its toll of Newfoundland's sons in common with those of other countries, the deceased soldier has just as surely given his life for the great cause of world freedom as if he had died on the battle-field and his memory will be honoured accordingly.

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Are Busy Building Boats

W. T. & E. Bowring, Bay Roberts, have for some months been busily engaged at building boats and houses for the Hudson's Bay Co. Thirty men have been employed at cutting timber and building.

The scene in the factory and yards present an interesting sight as one views row after row of splendid looking boats, second to none in the country. This work used to be done in Nova Scotia, but for the past two years the Messrs. Bowring have been constructing the boats in Bay Roberts. In addition to the boats they are building portable houses, and when these are completed, houses and boats will be shipped to Hudson Bay by the S. S. Nascope which will be calling at Bay Roberts later on.

OBITUARY

JOB STEEDS.

Mr. Job Steeds, formerly a resident of this city where he was well, and favorably known, died at Somerville Mass., where he had been residing with his daughter for the past two years.

The funeral was on May 18th from the above home where friends met and having showed their sympathy to the bereaved daughter by sending very beautiful wreaths to adorn the casket, accompanied the remains which were interred in Woodlawn, Everett, Mass.

Four daughters mourn the loss of their father, Mrs. Isabelle Northall, Misses Alice and Victoria living in St. John's and Miss Annie of West Somerville.

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Fire Started In Star Hall By Children

Shavings and Woodwork Set in Blaze When Thousands Were in Theatre

Had the thousands of people attending the movie show at the Star Hall Wednesday afternoon (Empire Day) known that a fire was being started in the basement of the building by a trio of urchins, there would undoubtedly have been some excitement. Three boys, one aged 7 and the others 10, had got into the basement of the Hall and set fire in two places to large accumulations of shavings, old bags and other inflammable material. They then ran out in the street shouting that the place was on fire and thus attracted the attention of a couple of men who went into the basement and found the place filled with smoke and flames. Water was secured and the fire extinguished.

The youngsters appeared before Court this morning and Judge Morris tried to impress upon them the seriousness of the deed, but they apparently were not impressed. Judge Morris intends to have the teachers of the youngsters notified of the depredations and have them inflict the necessary punishment. They were too young to send to jail and this was the only way they could be dealt with.

Weather and Ice Reports

Nipper's Hr.—Strong breeze N. E. wind, cold with snow. No ice this side of the bay.

Gander Bay—Strong N. E. wind with rain.

Seal Cove—Wind East, dull and cold. No ice in sight.

Little Bay—Strong N. E. wind, bay full of ice.

Little Bay Islands—Gale N. wind; slack ice in bay.

Many Icebergs

The Minister of Shipping received a message from Capt. Winsor of the S. S. Senef yesterday afternoon stating the ship would be coming direct to Catalina from Wesleyville as icebergs were numerous between Cape Bonavista and Catalina, making navigation very dangerous. The ship, therefore, will be unable to make all ports of call.

WANTED—An experienced male teacher, Associate Grade, for the Superior Dept. of the Clarke's Beach Methodist School. Salary \$500. Address applications to S. M. FRANCIS, Chairman Educational Board. my27,61

LOCAL ITEMS

Leaves for District.—Mr. J. Cheeseman, M.H.A. for Burlington, leaves by the Sable I. to-night for his district.

Calls at Burlington.—The Sable I. will call at Burlington on the way to Halifax to take a shipment of 300 casks of fish.

Eagle Sails West.—S.S. Eagle sailed 7 p.m. yesterday on the South West Coast route, taking mail and freight.

Still At Twillingate.—The Government coastal steamer Prospero is still ice-bound at Twillingate.

Due Tomorrow.—S.S. Portia left North Sydney last night and is due to arrive here tomorrow.

Senef Due Tonight.—S.S. Senef is due in port from Trinity and Bonavista Bays.

Going to Spain.—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ponce and daughter, Juanita, leaves by Sunday's express for New York en route to their home in Seville, Spain.

Had to Return.—The S. S. Home sailed yesterday afternoon for Humbermouth, but owing to weather conditions returned to port to await a more favorable opportunity.

Passengers Will Connect.—The S. S. Argyle left Larn at 6.50 p.m. yesterday coming to Argentina. Passengers leaving by this morning's train will connect with her for the bay run.

Boing by Malakoff.—Outgoing passengers by to-morrow's express will connect with the S. S. Malakoff for points in Trinity Bay and at Lewisport with the Clyde for Notre Dame Pt. south route.

Wyn Coming Here.—S.S. Wren, government coastal steamer engaged recently in Fortune Bay on the service there, is coming here for an overhauling. She is due tomorrow or next day.

A Public Meeting of the Catholic Laity will be held in the Nickel Theatre on Sunday, the 28th inst., immediately after prayers, to arrange for the presentation of an Address to His Grace the Archbishop, on the occasion of his Sacredotal Silver Jubilee. may26,21

Gypsies Before Court.—The gypsy family, who ran the phrenology works on Water St. West which were closed up by Head Const. Byrne a few days ago, have been summoned by Const. Bennett on a charge of "pretending to tell his fortune by palmistry." The hearing of their case was set for today but a postponement was arranged by their counsel, Mr. Morine.

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Sable I. Arrives

The Sable I., Capt. Murley, arrived at 10.30 this morning from Halifax and North Sydney bringing a large freight and these passengers: Miss B. Fowler, M. F. Cashin, E. W. Earle, R. Williams, Miss E. Johnson, R. H. LeMessurier, N. Lindsay, E. Mahoney, H. T. Benson, Miss C. Coaker, Miss N. Hansen, Miss A. Pitcher, Miss M. O'Dea, C. L. Parkins, Miss E. Parkins, Miss H. Lodge, A. A. Cave, G. A. Hudson, H. W. Forbes.

The ship sails again at midnight taking the following passengers: P. H. Holt, T. Bartlett, G. Collins, A. Daley, W. Daley, Miss Daley, R. Norris, L. Norris, Miss L. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Parsons, Mrs. E. E. Barnes and 2 children, Messrs. George (2), W. Walsh, T. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dawe, E. Elliott, J. Cheeseman, M.H.A.

SHIPPING NOTES

The Rosalind left New York at 11 a.m. today for here via Halifax.

The Prospero was at Twillingate yesterday afternoon going north.

The Portia left North Sydney at daylight this morning for St. John's direct.

Train Notes

There is an outward express at one o'clock tomorrow.

The incoming express is due to arrive here at 6.30 p.m. today.

The Sagona left Port aux Basques 2 a.m. today for North Sydney, the outward express which left here Thursday having arrived 11 p.m. yesterday.

Suicide Near Bonne Bay

The following message was received by the Deputy Minister of Justice from Magistrate J. W. Wilton, Bonne Bay, yesterday: "Joseph Mitchell, of Gude's Hr., married, 63 years, committed suicide at 6 o'clock yesterday through cutting his throat with a razor. Held inquest at 8 o'clock. Temporary insanity."

Appointed To Silvia

A message was received yesterday that Wm. McGettigan, son of Mr. M. McGettigan, Superintendent Engineer at Bowring Bros., had been appointed second engineer on the new Red Cross liner Silvia.

Mr. McGettigan is at present on the Rosalind and his numerous friends join in the congratulations tendered him on his promotion.

Woman Was Arrested

Failure to Appear Against Husband Was Cause

A woman of the East End had her husband arrested a few nights ago for the eighth time. Eight times she failed to appear against him after giving him in charge and the police thought it was time to hear from her in person. A summons was issued for her but she failed to respond and a warrant was sworn out for her arrest and she appeared before court this morning when the husband was also present.

Both told hard luck stories. The woman said her husband gave her no money while he denied this and said he gave her nearly all he earned but that every time he took a drink he raised Cain and shouted for the police. The officer who went to the house for the woman this morning said the place was in a filthy and wretched condition and that the man's mother was lying behind the cold stove covered by an old coat.

The judge put the man under bonds to support his wife and asked the police to keep an eye on him.

The War Memorial

Padre Nangle is continuing his good work on behalf of the War Memorial and accomplishing successfully. A message received yesterday says that Mr. Grace's contributions to date amount to \$500.00; Carbonneau's to \$215.00; Northern Bay's to \$65.00; Heart's Content, \$90.00, and Bay Roberts to \$300.00. In all \$1,270.00. The message concludes with the characteristic "cheerio," preceded by the welcome commentary on the Padre's work—"still going strong."

All inquiries regarding Job descriptions should be addressed to the Business Manager of the Advocate.

Comedy Company Begins New Show Monday Night

After a week of great success in the presentation of "Sweethearts," the Manhattan Musical Comedy Company can begin on Monday night, with a great deal of heart and enthusiasm, their new comedy—"The Time, the Place and the Girl." This is positively guaranteed to take the town by storm. Judging by a rehearsal seen by the writer, this playlet will exceed "Sweethearts" in fun and interest. The theme is a catchy one—a lot of boarders get quarantined in their boarding house, and they appoint a captain. He apportions out the work among them. From that the fun commences.

This show, first put on at the LaSalle Theatre, Chicago, ran there for five weeks. Billie Clifton, the wonderful comedian who made "Sweethearts" such a scream, takes a central part in this comedy. He was in the show when it was first put on at Chicago, and originated the "John Hicks" character.

"The Time, the Place and the Girl" will run for three nights. Beginning Thursday night there will be a new show entitled "The Melody."

Legislative Council

The Council met at 4 p.m. yesterday when the Bill for the Protection of Animals, the War Pensions and that dealing with the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation properties were passed. The Bill dealing with the Commercial Cable Co's agreement with the Government was read a second time. Hon. George Shea, who moved the second reading, explained the many advantages to be obtained from its operation. Sir P. T. McGrath and Hon. R. K. Bishop both supported the Bill, but thought that the Government would have obtained greater benefits if they had sold the land lines as well as the Canso cable to the Commercial Cable Company. The third reading of the Customs Bonds Bill was deferred. The House adjourned till Tuesday next at 4 p.m.

Escaped From Asylum

A man named Hare who has been an inmate of the Lunatic Asylum for a number of years escaped from the institution on Thursday afternoon.

After the matter was reported to the police a search was instituted and the escaped patient was found at Hr. Main.

Hare is the man who attempted to shoot Bishop March at Hr. Grace several years ago.

Graduated At Toronto Dental College

Word was received yesterday that Mr. Fred James, son of Mr. George P. James, of the Royal Stores, Ltd., who had been studying dentistry at the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto, had graduated, securing the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery. The young graduate has had a brilliant career while at the institution. Dr. James saw active service in France being attached to the R.A.M.C., and his many friends wish him every success in his profession. It is understood that Dr. James will be returning home next week and will be opening his practice here.

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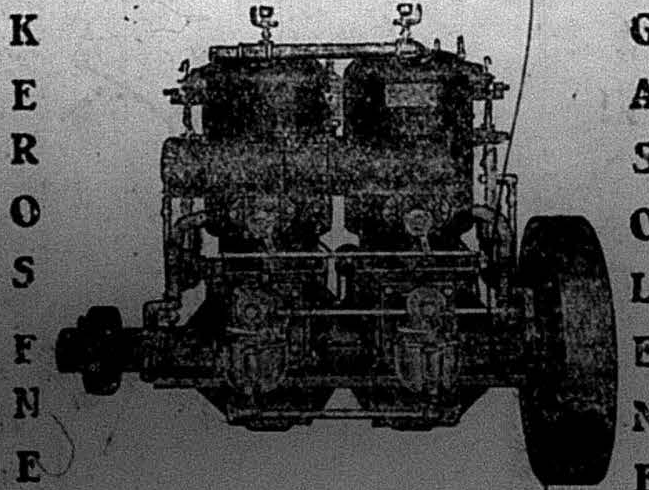
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AT THE COUNCIL

The weekly meeting of the Council was held Thursday afternoon. Mayor Cook presided and all the Councillors were present.

Communications were tabled from the St. John's Light & Power Company as follows:—

(1) Re street sprinkler service, which was deferred; (2) That attention was being given the covering of unused street for rails in the City; (3) That lights reported out had been attended to.

Solicitor Fox, on behalf of Estate of Connors, referred to the use which was being made by citizens of this property in going to and from the bathing house at Quidi Vidi, stating that, as a result of trespass, damage had been done to crops and fences, and that steps should be taken to prevent recurrence of same. The City Engineer will look into the matter, and make arrangements to remedy the cause of complaint.

The taking of a portion of the land, Military Road, property of St. Thomas's Church, was left with the East End Road Committee to make arrangements for securing of said land. The road at this point is very narrow and dangerous to traffic as the street car crossing is close by and pedestrians cannot alight in safety.

T. B. Clift again called attention to the condition of Gear Street, and the lighting of LeMarchant Road. Both matters will be attended to.

Mr. J. H. Lakin brought to the notice of the Council the conduct of the Impounder in dealing with stray cattle, and asked that steps be taken to prevent this official from what he considered ill-treating cattle. The complaint will be investigated.

Residents in the vicinity of Scanlan's Lane, where new street line was recently adopted, asked that the Council arrange to secure an opening on to Water Street. The property mentioned is east of that at present occupied by the Imperial Tobacco Company, and is owned by the Estate of Smyth. The owners will be communicated with, with a view to arriving at a satisfactory arrangement for purchase of the land.

Mr. S. Elliot, Water Street, asked that surface drain fronting his premises be given attention; also that the parties who have carts, etc., parked on the sidewalk be notified to remove same, as they are both inconvenient and dangerous to pedestrians. This matter was ordered to be given attention.

Mr. Wm. White wrote re condition of sidewalks on the North Side of LeMarchant Road, stating pedestrians were compelled to use the main thoroughfare, which is not at all safe, as it is largely used by motorists and traffic of all kinds. It was decided to have the sidewalk repaired in the interests of public safety.

Mr. Jno. Cullen, 10 McKay Street, complained of damage done his premises through overflow of river. The City Engineer was instructed to investigate.

Messrs. Higgins Hunt and Emerson intimated it was their intention to claim damages for injuries sustained by Miss Zita Hawkins through falling over projecting shute at the foot of Spruce Street. This communication was ordered placed in the hands of the City Solicitor.

W. B. Fraser offered truck horse for use of Sanitary department. The Council are not, at present, in need of same.

A communication was tabled from Mr. R. Sutton, in which he stated he was prepared to enter into a contract for the collection of garbage, etc., which is at present being performed by the Sanitary staff. The communication was left in the hands of the Sanitary Committee, who will consider the same, and report their views to the Council.

Mr. F. W. Knight asked that claim for damages, referred to in his previous communications, be considered. He stated the value depreciated by the close proximity of the dump. He referred to the award made the Council some years ago, when the land in this vicinity was taken for railway terminus, and stated that out of the amount of \$200,000.00 awarded the City, the Council had expended nothing for repairing and making good damages occasioned by the railway construction. Mr. Knight is evidently not aware that, although this award was made in favor of the Council, instead of being given them to be utilized for the purposes mentioned by him, it was placed to the credit of the Consolidated Debt due the Government by the City at that time. The many other matters, mentioned in his rather lengthy communication, were deferred for consideration.

The following plans were passed, subject to the Engineer's approval: Jno. O'Keefe, extension, Job Street; N. W. Chown, garage, Lime Street; M. E. Hamilton, garage, corner McFarlane and Central Streets; on condition same is removed at owner's

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expense at any time the Council may call upon him to do so; G. Tucker, outhouse, Gear Street.

The application of G. Harris for permission to extend stables, Hamilton Avenue, was referred to the Health Officer.

The Plumbing Inspector reported that notifications had been sent house owner who have not water and sewerage installed, and on expiration of said notice if regulations are not complied with the parties in question will be prosecuted.

The health of the City for week showed five new cases of Diphtheria.

It was ordered that notice be placed in the daily papers, warning owners of animals which may be found at

large within the City that it would be as well for them to see that fences around their property are secure. The Pound fees are \$4 per head.

The City Engineer reported on work in connection with various departments under his control for the past week; and also that the widening of Waterford Bridge Road had been commenced, but that it would be necessary to continue the work further east on this road. It was ordered that same be proceeded with, and a portion of the properties of Messrs. Cousins and Byrne, etc., down to that of Capt. A. Kean, will be appropriated, in order to widen this very narrow thoroughfare.

During the past week, many summonses have been issued against parties owing City Taxes and also some twenty Poll Tax delinquents, who have since made good their indebtedness. The names of a great number owing above taxes have been placed in the hands of the Solicitor and summonses will be issued against them during the coming week.

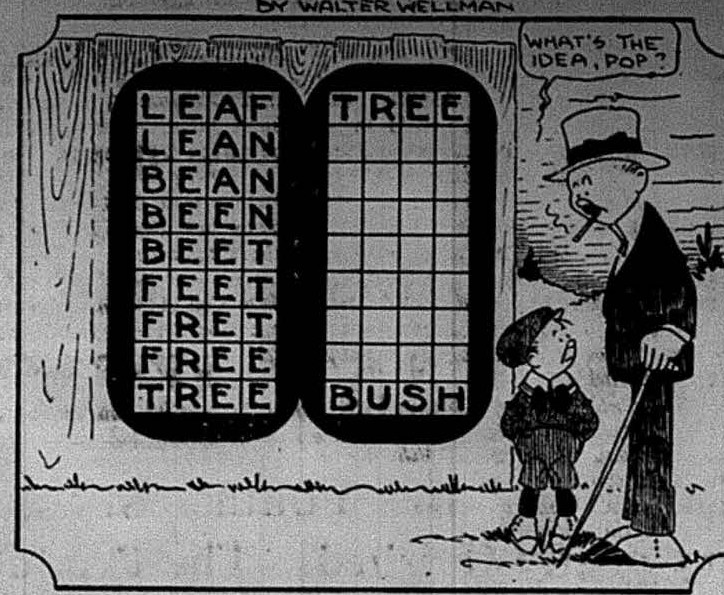
The Inspector is now taking the names of unregistered dogs within the City and it is more than likely a number of summonses will be issued within the next few weeks.

Reports of Sanitary Supervisor, and other departmental heads, were tabled, and requisitions acceded to.

After the passing of payroll and weekly accounts, the meeting adjourned.

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List of Unclaimed Letters Remaining In G.P.O.

A Anderson, Robert	F Frost, H. R., Gower Street. Forwood, Mrs. George, Water Street Fowler, John H., George's Street Furlong, Miss May, Freshwater Road Furlong, Miss K.	L Luff, Elias	Q Quinton, Ing-im Quigley, George, Long Pond Road
B Braker, Miss Nellie, Queen's Road Butler, Miss F., Pennywell Road. Butler, Walter, C/o G.P.O. Butland, George D., C/o G.P.O. Butler, Walter, Quidi Vidi Rd. Burton, Miss Violet, C/o Telephone Co. Boone, Mrs. George, Cabot St. Brown, Mrs. E., Lime St. Bowen, Geo. Brothers, Mrs. Clifford, Flower Hill. Blewett, Mrs. H. M. Bennett, Thomas, King's Road. Benson, Miss Susie, Military Road. Byrne, Miss Bessie, Circular Rd. Bransfield, James Bailey, Miss M., Freshwater Road. Bacon, C. E., C/o Gen'l Delivery. Bastow, Augustus, C/o Gen'l Delivery.	G Gardner, W. J. Grant, Wm., Pennywell Road Garland, Wm., (late) Bonne Bay. Gibsonback, J., Water Street West Greenland, Miss M. R., C/o G.P.O. Green, Mrs. Wm., Duckworth Street Gillott, Mrs. Levi, Duckworth Street Gillingham, Doris J. M., Cabot Street Goodyear, Mrs. Emma, Hagerty's St.	M Marshall, H. H. Martin, Mrs., Gower Street Mason, L., Prince's Street Mansfield, Miss Lizzie, Water Street Marsh, Mrs. F. H., C/o G.P.O. Mootery, Mrs. H., Springdale Street Morris, Edgar, Job Street Moss, Abraham, C/o Gen'l Delivery Murphy, Miss M., Lime Street Molloy, Mrs. James, Convent Square Mulrooney, Edward Murphy, Miss Frances, Water Street	R Reddy, James, Newtown Road Ryder, Annie, LeMarchant Road Ricketts, Cpl. P. A., Mullock Street Rideout, James, West End Roberts, John, LeMarchant Road Rubelee, Andrew, C/o G.P.O. Richardson, Wm., Geo., Larkin's Sq. Roberts, Mrs. Fred, Drien's Street
C Crew, Miss P., Colonial St. Cleary, Mrs. R. C., Queen's Road. Cook, Matthew Coady, Miss Sarah, Springdale Street Connors, Joseph, George's Street. Crocken, A. J. Colbert, Miss Mary, Forest Road. Conway, Nellie M. Coaker, V. M., Young Street Corbett, Miss Bessie, C/o Gen'l Delivery Codner, H. Connell, John F. Condy, Miss Sarah, Springdale St.	H Hammond, George, Water Street Harris, Miss H., Pleasant Street Halliday, Edward, Mt. Selg. Henstridge, Miss M. E., C/o Anchorage Hynes, Miss Winnie, Duckworth Street Hickey, Miss Mary, Pleasant Street Hiscock, Mrs. J. A., C/o Imperial Tobacco Co. Howlett, Harry, Water Street. Harvey, Mrs. Annie, Pleasant Street Hickey, Miss D., New Gower Street.	N Newell, James, Victoria Street Neary, Wm. Nickosey, Miss May, Water St. West Normore, Mrs. George J. Nesworthy, Mrs. E., Duckworth St.	S Stansfield, T., Rillandale Road Stamp, John, Pennywell Road Scerriour, Mrs. Walter, 9—Square Sheehan, Katherine, New Gower St. Sheppard, Mrs. Levi, Hutchings St. Smith, Miss Louise, Young Street Smith, Mrs. David, C/o Gen'l Delivery Smith, Mrs. Oliver, C/o Gen'l Delivery Strong, Capt. R. W. Stone, Miss Rachel, Water Street Stuckless, William.
D Davis, Miss Stella, Gower Street Dwyer, Mrs., Lond Pond Road. Devine, Brendon Day, Miss Mary L. Driscoll, Mrs., 203 Water Street West Dobbin, Denis, New Gower Street Dooley, Wm., LeMarchant Road Duke, Mrs. John, Casey Street Duggan, Mrs. John, Newtown Road	J Johnson, Mrs. Patrick, McFarlane's St. Jacobs, Joseph, Cabot Street. Joyce, M. F., Nagle's Hill James, Wm. J., George's Street	O O'Sullivan, Miss L., Water Street O'Connor, P. P. O'Toole, Miss Mary O'Donnell, Miss E. M.	T Thomas, Mrs. R., Prince's Street Tobin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm., George's St. Tucker, H. Tucker, Mrs. A., C/o Gen'l Delivery
E Ellin, Thomas M., Water Street West	K Kennedy, J. S. Kennedy, Mrs. Michael, Wickford St. Keating, James T., William Street Kearley, Miss Winifred King, Mrs. Wm. H., King's Road. Kent, Mrs. T. J., (card) Plank Road Knight, Mrs. Frank, (card) King's Rd. Keefe, Miss G., Adelaide Street Keely, Miss B., New Gower Street King, Mrs. Robert, Prince's Street Kinsella, Miss Bridie King, Mrs., Convent Lane King, Miss Jennie S., C/o G.P.O.	P Patten, Jacob Parsons, G. B. P—, Miss K., (Retd.) Parsons, Miss S., late Curling Payne, Miss L. M. Penny, Mrs. Sadie, Bell Street Peckford, Simeon, late Grand Falls Piedlo, Miss K., Hamilton Street Penny, Geo. F., Cabot Street Piedlo, George, C/o Gen'l Delivery Peach, Robert, C/o Gen'l Delivery Pedigrew, Mrs. Patrick, Pennywell Rd. Penny, Harold, C/o G.P.O. Perry, E. C. Pitcher, James Pitcher, Mrs. D., Beaumont Street Pike, Stephen B., late Flower's Cove Pike, Miss M., C/o W. J. O'Dea. Porter, George, Bond Street Powell, Miss Carrie, Monkstown Road Purchase, Miss M. M.	W Wadden, Patrick M., C/o Post Office Walker, L., Bond Street Watts, Arthur, C/o Gen'l Delivery Walsh, Miss Mgt., Gilmore Street Warren, Wm., Waldegrave Street Walsh, T. J., Long P. Road Walsh, Miss Mary, (card) Stephen's St. Walsh, Michael, Chapel Street Webster, Mrs. Edith, Hamilton Street West, Mrs. J. J., (card) Webber, Miss Annie, Smithville Wells, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Mike, William Street Williams, Mrs. Lucy Williams, Miss Minnie Whitehead, E. T. Whits, Miss Annie, C/o G.P.O. Wiseman, Mrs. Edith, Hamilton Street Whiffen, Miss L., Water St. East

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St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 3, Children's Service; 4, Holy Baptism; 6.30, Evensong.

METHODIST.
Gower St.—11, Rev. R. E. Fairbairn; 6.30, Rev. E. W. Forbes, B.D., subject: "The Ascension of Christ."
George St.—11, Rev. C. H. Johnson, B.D.; 6.30, Rev. R. E. Fairbairn.
Cechrane St.—11, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.; 6.30, Rev. C. H. Johnson, B.D.
Wesley—11, Rev. E. W. Forbes, B.D.; 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A. Memorial service for the members of the congregation who have died during the year.
Gospel Mission.—2.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

PRESBYTERIAN.
St. Andrew's—11, Unveiling of Memorial Window by His Excellency the Governor; 6.30, Rev. F. S. Coffin, B.A.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Queen's Road—11 and 6.30, Rev. T. Holden, M.A.

SALVATION ARMY.
No. 1 Citadel, New Gower St.—7, Knee Drill; 11, Holy Communion; Altar Service; 3, Mothers' Day and Altar Service; 7, Great Salvation Meeting and Altar Service.

ADVENTIST.
Cookstown Road.—6.30, Subject: "The Peace Tragedy."
International Bible Student's Assn. Victoria Hall.—3, Studies in the Divine Plan of the Ages; 7, Discourse—"Present Truth."
Highway Tabernacle, Hamilton St.—Services 11.3 and 7.
George Street A.B.C.—2.45, Lesson study and five minutes talk.

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Not So Many As Feared; Will Add to Naval Efficiency.

LONDON, May 15.—All men in the naval profession are deeply interested by an Admiralty order published Saturday for the retirement of officers, necessitated by the decision of the Washington Armament Conference for naval reduction.

The number of officers to be dispensed with is not as large as had been expected or feared in the service. Out of a strength of about 9,450 a total of 1,835 will be retired. The loss to the navy will not be as severe as the mere counting of heads would indicate. One officer describes the reduction as a plan to increase the efficiency of the navy by decreasing the number of officers.

The Admiralty was in a position to frame and enforce its own plans without bringing the proposals before Parliament. Had it been necessary to go to Parliament there probably would have been conflict by special interests, as various classes of officers would have had friends fighting for them, both in the Lords and the Commons.

None of the large number of Admirals will be retired by the order, but many will automatically drop out of the service shortly because of age.

Most important to the navy's efficiency are the experienced officers of the line. Captains to the number of 119 and 200 commanders will be retired, but the grade of lieutenant-commander, which will be the more important to the strength of the navy two years hence, is not touched.

Lieutenants to the number of 407 who are graduates of the naval school will go, and 703 other men of the same and lower rank are included. These make a total of 1,429 line officers. The grand total of 1,835 is made by the addition of 245 engineers, 101 accountants and 60 marine officers.

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normal service is curtailed. The Admiralty states that retirement constitutes no reflection on character or ability.

SOCIETIES OF ALL KINDS IN LONDON

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LONDON, May 15.—This seat of a far-flung empire harbors the headquarters of a greater variety of local, national and international orders, associations, missions, alliances, leagues, societies, unions, funds and bands than may be found in any other city of the world.

More than 3,000 of them are catalogued in the new Post Office Directory the "Who's Who and What's What" of London. In a benevolent, protective or prohibitive way they pertain to almost every field of human activity, interest or need. An examination of the list suggests that nowadays there is nothing from deep-sea fighting to higher thought that has escaped the attention of organizers.

A more painstaking perusal might prompt the notion that it would be perfectly safe for human or beast to be born in London with or without parents, reared with or without guardians, masters, education or training, stay out of prison or in—there would be agents of an organization of some sort waiting with help or advice at

each turn of life's pathway. Even at death the individual would appear to be adequately safeguarded for in the list is enumerated "The Society for the Prevention of Premature Burial."

It would be safe to assume that each has a definite reason or being, a specific function to perform, but while most of the official titles of this organized miscellany make their aims obvious, there are others that, to the uninformed, sound quaint or ambiguous.

Such organizations, for instance, as "The Society for Providing the Poor With Bread and Coal in Winter," "The Coal Smoke Abatement Society" and "The Institute of Journalists' Provident Fund" proclaim their objects in admitted fields of usefulness.

Some others are the Mothercraft Training Society, The British Rainfall Association, The London Fish Friers' Association, The Large Black Pig Society, The Out and Out Mission, The Order of the Golden Age, The National Baby Week Council and The Bare-

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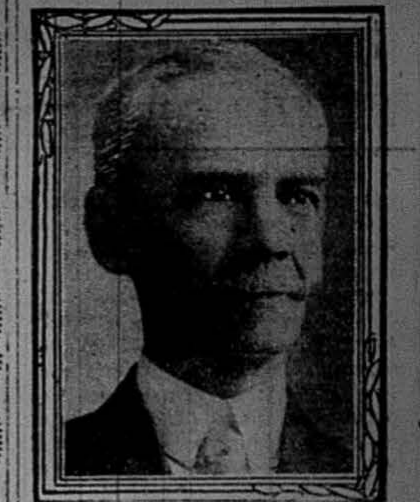
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foot Mission.

Brewers' and Personal Rights associations are listed check by jowl with a variety of tariff reform leagues. The Committee to Secure State Purchase and Control of the Liquor Trade, The Inebriates' Reformation Association and other associations of a reformative or prohibitive character.

The styles of several might warrant fear that their memberships have set out on rather difficult missions. There is for instance The National Anti-Sweating League.

Among the diversified and unique societies for the propagation, promotion, advancement, suppression, prohibition, encouragement or preservation of this or that are found: The Crutch and Kindness League, The Society for Befriending Young Servant Girls, The Guild of Aid for Gentle People, The National Adoption Society, The Decimals Association, The Association, The Association for the Providing, Training and Supply of Midwives, The Council of Justice to Animals, The Society for the Prevention of Disfigurement in Town and Country, The Association of Certified Blind Masseurs, The League for Prevention of Spinal Curvature, The Society for the Promotion of Employment of Women and The National Council for the Unmarried Mother and Her Child.



President of the Dominion Mortgage and Investment Association in session here.

Good Prices Prevail At Present, Though Weather Against Curing Operations

LUNenburg, May 15.—The fish curers of Lunenburg county are busy drying the first catches of the fishing vessels and delivering the same to the fish merchants. The weather has not been favorable for their work but they are in hopes they will get the fish again delivered before the vessels arrive home the first week in June.

At present the price of fish is fair, and the operations of the vessels will prove fairly lucrative if the present price continues. The price obtained this year for the first catch is \$8.00 per quintal, which is the same price as obtained for the first catch last year. However there was a greater quantity of fish landed than last year, as nearly the entire fleet took frozen bait and started out early. All of them with the exception of two or three vessels were home and landed their catches. The amount of fish landed is 44,625 quintals and as there were 76 vessels home, the average catch was 573 quintals per vessel, which is considered a good average for the first trip.

The reports from the fishermen that are away are not favorable, and it looks as if the next catch will be small unless conditions change. Last Wednesday there were 20 vessels lying in Queensport without a quintal of fish to their credit on this trip, and only two weeks more before they will have to return home to prepare for the Grand Bank trip.

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(To the Editor)

Dear Sir,—Owing to the general stagnation caused by the general tie-up of the railway, Trinitarians have been obliged to find some other forms of amusement and recreation, and on Wednesday evening attended a lecture given by our esteemed fellow-townsmen Mr. Kelson W. Pittman in the Parish Hall. Mr. Pittman chose for his lecture the rather high-sounding title of "The Frontiers of the Universe" and after a few preliminary remarks during which he briefly discussed the great length of time which man has lived on this planet, probably millions of years, the dawn of written history not beginning earlier than about 7,000 years B.C.—the history cut in the rocks in the land of Chaldea—the lecturer pointed out that it was not until Galileo pointed the first telescope at the planet Jupiter, revealing for the first time the five moons or satellites that accompany that immense planet, that modern astronomy may be said to have commenced.

OUR SOLAR SYSTEM.

After briefly discussing the planets which go to make up our "Solar System" dwelling more particularly on the beauty and harmony which characterize the movements and phases of Jupiter's miniature solar system, and also that of Saturn, with his group of "rings" and no less than eight moons, all performing their various revolutions around Saturn and consequently around the Sun with such unerring precision and promptitude that no one part falls upon, overtakes, or is overtaken by another in their course, the lecturer invited his audience to accompany him, in imagination, travelling on a ray of light at no less a speed than some 186,000 miles a second to the region of "The Frontiers of the Universe" quoting a verse from the Book of Job "Canst thou bind the sweet influences of the Pleiades, or loosen the bands of Orion" dwelling as he did on the wonders which had been revealed to man by means of the big telescopes of the world, more particularly that of the great Lick observatory in California with its 36 inch reflector, piercing to a star of the seventeenth magnitude, and showing that although only some six or seven stars were discernible by the unaided eyesight, in this, perhaps, the most beautiful cluster in the whole heavens, the telescope had revealed several hundreds, while the sensitive film of photography, had revealed no less than 2,326 stars, and in addition a number of clusters, Alcyone, its principal star, being one in a cluster of ten. The lecturer pointed out that although Alcyone was only a star of the third magnitude, its distance was so great that it would take light travelling at no less than 186,000 miles a second no less a period than 267 years to reach our earth, and that therefore it could be classed as a "Giant Sun" with a diameter of perhaps no less than some 10,000,000 miles as compared with our own sun of approximately 1,000,000 miles, and that in the opinion of some of the most eminent astronomers it was the Central Sun round which all our sidereal system revolves.

STAGGERING FIGURES.

The lecturer then went on to speak of the splendid constellation of Orion, with its stupendous stars Alpha Orionis (Betelgeuse) and Beta Orionis (Rigel) the former of which had recently been computed by some of the most eminent astronomers of the famous Lick Observatory to have a diameter of no less than some 300,000,000 miles which almost staggers the imagination to think of, and also of Beta Orionis, which is probably quite its equal in size. He then spoke of the great Nebula in Orion, which is supposed to be a mass of glowing gas, and probably a Solar System in the first stages of its development. He also spoke of the "Owl" nebula in Ursa Majoris, the diameter of which has been estimated to be no less than some two hundred thousand times the sun's distance from the earth, or approximately some eighteen trillion miles in extent which is probably another solar system in the incipient stages of development.

The lecturer then went on to speak of "Stellar motions and distances" showing how it has been possible for man by applying the fundamental principles of Geometry (Parallax) to approximately measure their distances the nearest of all being Alpha Centauri, showing a parallax of decimal 76 seconds of arc, which would represent a distance from the earth of approximately some twenty-five trillion miles, enumerating a number of others for which a parallax had been found, among which may be mentioned Arcturus, Vega, Sirius, Alpha Cassiopeiae, Capella, Procyon, Alpha Cephei (Alderman) B Geminorum (Pollux) B Ursa Minoris, Alpha Argus (Canopus) all of which are undoubtedly "Giant Suns" Arcturus (Alpha Bootes) and Canopus (Alpha Argus) perhaps rivaling the Giant Suns of Alpha Orionis and Beta Orionis.

WHITHER WENDING?

The lecturer briefly referred to the

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movement of the Sun and Solar System through space to a point near the star Lambda Herculis, in the constellation Hercules, their annual motion being some 442 millions of miles, deducing from which the overwhelming and astounding fact that some ten millions of years ago, the Sun and Solar system were at a distance of some five trillions of miles from its present position, which may cause us to reflect on

"Whence we came and whither wending?"

After briefly discussing the "Nebular Hypothesis" of Immanuel Kant; and Laplace, the distinguished French mathematician, the "Meteoritic Hypothesis" of Professor Lockyer, the fuel of the sun, the luminiferous ether and kindred subjects, the lecturer passed on to consider the Milky Way of which the poet Milton writes: "A broad and ample field, whose dust is gold"

And pavement stars, as stars to us appear

Seen in the galaxy, that Milky Way Which nightly as a circling zone, thou seest

Powdered with stars.

This subject being simply an inexhaustible one, he could only give a general outline of it, beyond remarking that the great astronomer Sir William Herschel had with his telescope of some eighteen inches aperture, and magnifying power of 150, set out to take "gauges" of the entire heavens, the entire number of "gauges" required each gauge to cover some 15 minutes of arc, would be no less than 823,000 of which Herschel completed no less than 3,400 giving number of stars to gauge from zero to 538 and which would represent for the entire heavens no less a number than some five hundred millions, a number, although absolutely large, must be considered as comparatively small if we consider space as being infinite in extent, and in this connection the lecturer arguing from analogy deduced an hypothesis, that although the number of visible stars may be finite, the number of stars and systems really existing being invisible to us, may be practically infinite, concluding his lecture with the following quotation from an eminent writer: "Could we speed our flight through space on eager wings beyond the confines of our limited universe, to a distance so great that the interval which separates us from the remotest fixed star visible in our largest telescope, might be considered as merely a step on our celestial journey, what further creations might not then be revealed to our wondering vision? Systems of a higher order might there be unfolded to our view compared with which the whole of our visible heavens might appear like a grain of sand on the ocean shore, systems perhaps stretching out to infinity before us, and reaching at last the glorious 'mansions' of the Almighty, the Throne of the Eternal, but here, dear reader, I touch a theme too great for me to handle, but which will assuredly be handled by the loftiest minds when you and I like streaks of morning cloud, shall have melted into the infinite azure of the past."

The lecture was considered one of the best ever given in this town, the hall being packed and was brought to a close by all singing a verse of the National Anthem.

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